



Purpose in a Nutshell:

Quick, nonthreatening tool to review; have students /participants assume the responsibility for remembering, documenting and sharing material covered at prior meeting.

Has the potential to be used as an alternative to pop quiz or pre-test to find out what they know and what you need to cover to move them forward.

<u>Theory Base</u>	<u>Process/Procedure</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Constructivism<ul style="list-style-type: none">- connections must be personalized• Metacognition<ul style="list-style-type: none">- talking about their thinking• Reflection<ul style="list-style-type: none">- how can they use it to improve	<p>Provide one slip per person, <u>independently</u> they list everything they can remember.</p> <p>Individuals team up to combine and expand their lists; announce a given time limit.</p> <p>Have groups round robin, each group contributing one item at a time to the class generated list. They are in until they run out and have to pass. If they think of anything new, they can get back in.</p> <p>Variation(s): From the master list have individuals pick out two that they have confidence that they could teach.</p> <p>Groups could be asked to <u>code</u> entries on master list.</p>

“Brain Compatible? 4Check It Out!”	
— Stress = brain downshifts	— Content must have relevance for the learner
— M(memory) space = how much the learner works on at a time	— Brain pays conscious attention to only one thing at a time
— Enriched environment = increasing dendrite branching	— All learning enters through our senses/emotions